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Harry Silcott Resigns As Farm Program Head Here after 17 Years

Harry Silcott has resigned as head of the federal government's farm program administration in Fayette County for the past 17 years.

He was connected with the program, however, for 19 years—ever since it was established.



Harry Silcott

Percie Kennell, a Union Township farmer, has been elevated from the vice chairmanship to take over Silcott's position.

Silcott has been chairman of the Fayette County Production and Marketing Administration since its organization. Before that he headed the Agriculture Adjustment Administration and previous to that the Agriculture Conservation Program.

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Stassen Is to Outline His Political Ambitions

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—*R*—Republican Eisenhower for President backers reportedly are doing some fingercrossing in advance of Harold E. Stassen's scheduled disclosure Thursday night of the role he plans in the 1952 presidential campaign.

GOP supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower are understood to feel that what Stassen says in a Philadelphia speech could have a profound effect on the general's chances for top spot on the party ticket.

There were these other political developments:

1. Senator Humphrey (D-Minn.) described President Truman as "the strongest candidate" the Democrats could come up with next year, and added: "I sincerely hope he runs again."

2. The International Association of Machinists (AFL) said its poll of American labor union chiefs shows "overwhelming agreement" that Gov. Earl Warren of California "would draw the strongest support from labor voters of any possible Republican presidential nominee in next year's election." War-

Cleanup Team Being Picked

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—*R*—The New York Times says President Truman is reported to have chosen two of three members for a special commission to investigate and expose wrongdoers in government.

In a story from Independence, Mo., the Times reported Mr. Truman is said to be still seeking a young and widely-known investigator to complete the inquiry team.

The Times story, by W. H. Lawrence, declared the president is said to have obtained acceptance from one Republican and one Democrat, whose names were withheld pending completion of the three-man panel.

Lawrence said the still-unselected board member replaces Federal Judge Thomas F. Murphy of New York who reportedly has withdrawn his acceptance to head the inquiry.

One of the reasons Judge Murphy was reported to have given for refusal to serve on the corruption inquiry group was the commission's lack of subpoena powers.

Ministers Puzzled -- Number Of Yule Basket Requests Down

Members of the Fayette County Ministerial Association are puzzled.

They cannot figure out why the number of requests for free Christmas baskets from needy families was 25 percent less than usual.

When asked why he thought the number of requests was down, Rev. Francis T. McCarty, president of the Ministerial Association, said: "We don't know."

There was some speculation that the needy were in better financial straits than usual and that advance publicity got around

New Court Judge Salary Balked In City Council

Two Negative Votes Prevent Passage as Emergency Measure

An ordinance fixing the salary of the new municipal court judge at \$3,000 failed to pass at the regular meeting of city council, Wednesday night, when members Roy Baughn and Ronald Cornwell voted against it.

City Manager W. W. Hill, who is also city solicitor, ruled Thursday that the two votes killed the passage of the ordinance, and as a result a special meeting of council must be held before the first of the year, to pass the ordinance so that the new judge will receive his salary without interruption.

Hill at first held that the ordinance had passed but would not be effective until 30 days had elapsed. After examining the law further he stated that the measure had failed to pass.

Robert L. Brubaker will be sworn in as the first judge of the municipal court here next Tuesday. He was elected, without opposition, last November.

The ordinance to pay the municipal judge \$3,000 per year was placed upon its second and third readings by motion of Baughn. All voted in favor of it.

THE MACHINISTS said the survey also showed almost half of the union presidents who replied feel that Senator Douglas of Illinois would draw the strongest labor vote of any possible Democratic presidential nominee—in the event Mr. Truman decides against running.

In the labor poll, Eisenhower, as a possible presidential nominee, was ranked second among Republicans and third among Democrats.

Stassen and Sen. Robert A. Taft (R-Ohio), another avowed GOP candidate, received nary a vote in the labor poll.

Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania and former governor of Minnesota, recently conferred with Eisenhower in Paris.

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Former Resident Takes Own Life

Everett Crago, 43, who formerly worked for Carroll Halliday's automobile agency here, shot and fatally wounded himself with a pistol in his Louisville, Ky., home early Monday morning, according to a report received here.

Mr. Crago worked for Halliday for about three years following his discharge from the service after the end of World War II.

A member of the family said the suicide was due to despondency over ill health, resulting from a wound suffered during World War II. He had been employed as a mechanic at a farm implement concern in Louisville.

Mr. Crago was the son of Mrs. Iva Crago of Greenfield, and the late Simon Crago. He was graduated from Greenfield McLain High School in 1928 and served in Europe during the war.

Besides his wife, the former Mabel Miller, survivors include the following: two sisters, Mrs. Floyd Jester of Lancaster and Mrs. Louis Deafner of Leesburg, Fla., and three brothers, Percie N. Crago of Frankfort, Roy of Clarksville and Guy of near Greenfield.

Funeral services were to be held at 2 P. M. Thursday (today) in the Miller Funeral Home in Louisville, Ky.

Silcott Resigns

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in the top bracket among Ohio counties.

In 1949 the example set by the Ohio organization was considered so important that a national association of committeemen was formed. Silcott's successful efforts in PMA work in his home county and in the state, brought him the unsought honor of heading the national organization, where his tact and diplomacy, coupled with his exhaustive study and knowledge of the organization's possibilities, were considered essential to the growth of this movement. The national organization is now progressing in eight states, Ohio, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, Iowa, Oklahoma, Mississippi and Arkansas. It is reported that further expansion to other states is expected in the not distant future.

At the Friday convention held in this city, tributes were paid to the outgoing chairman for his work and a very beautiful traveling bag was presented to him as a token of appreciation.

Mainly About People

Roy Neer of South Solon, entered Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon, for surgery Thursday morning.

Charles Seibert of near Jefferson, was admitted to Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon for medical treatment.

Mrs. Harold Hoop and infant daughter, were dismissed from Memorial Hospital to their home, 711 Columbus Avenue, Wednesday.

Mrs. Irl Smith of South Solon, underwent surgery in Memorial Hospital Thursday morning, after being admitted Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Boyer, 225 Forest Street, is a patient in Memorial Hospital for medical treatment. She was admitted Wednesday afternoon.

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Mrs. Ogle Fradd of near South Solon, was admitted to Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon, where she underwent surgery on Thursday morning.

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Miss Ethel Asher of New Hol- land, was rushed to Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon in the Kirkpatrick ambulance, where she was being treated for a serious heart ailment.

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Blessed Events

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formation we cannot move one inch towards a solution."

The Allies have not committed themselves in any way on an exchange.

But in the same session Thursday at Panmunjom, Libby said the Reds hinted they may report that many of the 50,000 prisoners unaccounted for had died of disease or exposure.

Libby said it was "a rather ominous note. It might have been a forewarning that all these people died of illness."

Subcommittees working on the problems of exchanging war prisoners and supervising a truce still were deadlocked when they adjourned their last session before the scheduled expiration hour.

EACH COMMITTEE scheduled another meeting for 11 a. m. Friday (9 p. m. (EST) Thursday in Panmunjom.

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Path of Ponies Good for Kids

140 Kept on Ranch Just for Youngsters

By WAYNE HARBERT

COURTLAND, Calif. — If boys and girls will follow the path of a pony, says Paul V. Amick, Sr., they will never get on a wrong path.

Amick should know: he has 140 ponies attracting as many as 800 youngsters a weekend for free rides on his 160-acre ranch.

Ponies and boys and girls are Amick's get-well hobby. Six years ago he underwent an operation and afterwards his health would not permit him to continue growing pearls.

Amick's project, since then, "just grew and grew and grew."

Now, he says at 60: "I never felt better in my life."

AMICK ESTIMATES that as many as 3,000 persons a year visit his place, 85 miles east and a little north of San Francisco and 21 miles south of Sacramento.

The older neighbor boys and girls help Amick out on rush weekends. Sometimes there are as many as 30 helpers. There are also from eight to 10 hired men and all the ponies are trained by professionals.

Porky, a 28-inch-high Shetland stallion, jumps through an automobile tire three feet off the ground.

Then there is Golden King, a Palomino upon which a dozen children can ride at once.

Amick's two grandchildren, Mary Lynn, 11, and Charles, 9, are also in on the entertainment. They can both ride Roman style—each foot on a dapple grey pony and they can do it at a full run.

AMICK HAS TWO pony merry-go-rounds for beginners, with the ponies fastened and guided securely in their leisurely circling around the center poles.

But for the older and more expert and adventuresome, he has special corrals.

The smallest is only 20 by 40 feet and any child who can enter it and climb to a pony's back and ride without assistance gets a red star from Amick.

There is a quarter of an acre corral and a boy or girl succeeding in it gets a blue star. The greatest test comes in a 2 1/2 acre corral where the prize is a gold star.

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Police identified them as England himself; his wife, and two of their eight children, Jane, 24 and Jonathan, 4. It appeared England killed his wife and children, then committed suicide. Mrs. England had a divorce action pending.

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ter of a 2 mile wide buffer zone if an armistice were signed within 30 days.

Otherwise the line would be redrawn just before truce is signed to follow changes resulting from battle action.

In Thursday's fruitless talks in snow-swept Panmunjom each side accused the other of needlessly delaying the truce.

North Korean Maj. Gen. Lee Sang Cho charged that the UN wasted time by refusing to agree to a Communist proposal for an all-for-all exchange of prisoners.

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THE TRUCE EVENTUALLY

SEOUL, Friday, Dec. 28.—**Ex-**piration of the 30-day cease-fire line period last midnight (10 a. m. Thursday EST) raised the question: Will heavy fighting break out again in Korea?

There is some evidence that it will not at least not right away. There has been no large-scale ground fighting in the last month.

The agreement on a provisional cease-fire line signed Nov. 27 said nothing about stopping or starting ground fighting.

It simply said that if either the Communists or the United Nations took any new ground on either side of the line, and if an armistice was signed in 30 days, each side would have to give up its gains.

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Interest Is Uped On New Bond Series

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—**A** new series of popular treasury bonds, paying higher interest to curb inflation has been proposed before the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

This was part of a plan for economic mobilization of the United States by Marion B. Folsom, chairman of the board of the committee for economic development of New York City. He is treasurer of Eastern Kodak Co.

"More E-bonds," he said, "have been cashed this year than have been sold. The poor results are sufficient evidence of the need for a new bond. It is hard to sell a 1941 model of anything in 1951."

"This is especially true of a bond, because of the marked change in interest rates the past ten years. To be attractive the new bond should bear a higher interest rate, particularly during the first few years. A bond of this type should greatly stimulate savings."

The savings, he said, will hold down inflation.

Mossadegh Faces Confidence Vote

TEHRAN, Dec. 27.—**A** new opposition deputies in the Iranian parliament have formally challenged Premier Mohammed Mossadegh to come before the Majlis, the stormy lower house, and face a vote of confidence to decide whether he stays in power.

Apparently confident that it can kick him out, the opposition submitted a document which challenges Mossadegh on four allegations: Suppression of freedom, violations of the principle laws of the country, a ruinous economic policy, and lack of respect for the Majlis. Under Iranian law, the premier must go before the Majlis within 30 days.

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Markets

Local Quotations

Wheat

Corn

Oats

Soybeans

BUTTER-EGGS-POULTRY

F. B. Co-op

The Nation Today

Sever-Williams Awarded Bids

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—P—The Communists are playing it stupid. Each incident like the present one—holding Americans for ransom of one kind or another—hardens and unifies American thinking.

It prepares feeling here for the most drastic measures against Communism, when and if this government thinks they're necessary.

The \$120,000 collected for the four American fliers can't compensate the Communists for the hatred, contempt and revulsion stirred up here.

That Communism is bent on world conquest is taken for granted. But jailing and mistreating a few Americans is hardly conquest on the grand scale.

Each irritation like that is so minor and crude, against the larger Communist plan, that one may ask: Why do the Communists stoop to this kind of gangsterism?

SOME REASONS can be guessed at: Each such episode is a deliberate and slap at American prestige; and each provides the Communist masters with another ounce of anti-American propaganda.

That's the Communist view, the subjective view. It doesn't allow for the fact that each jailing episode may have an effect here far outweighing any temporary and small benefits the Communists think they get at home.

To see the depth of the Communist stupidity involved in this—since this is the only country capable of doing the most damage to Russia if war starts—it's necessary to ask this question:

What's the smartest tactic for the Communists where we're concerned? It's this:

To keep American opinion divided on the action to be taken against Communism, in kind and degree, and for this reason:

The more united we are, not only on the need for action, but on the need for strong action, the more dangerous war.

Sever said school addition projects on which his men were working were nearing completion in Xenia, Centerville and New Carlisle.

Chinese Reds Shot Then Given Blood

MALACCA, Malaya, P—Two Chinese Communist terrorists, shot by two members of a Malay security force, recently were brought into a hospital here in critical condition.

They needed blood. But the blood bank at the hospital was dry.

The two security force men who had shot them and brought them to the hospital, rolled up their sleeves and gave a pint of blood each. One terrorist survived but the other died despite the extra blood given him.



HEAD COACH at the University of San Francisco for the last four years, Joe Kuharich, one-time Notre Dame guard, has resigned and he is being linked to the head coaching job of the Chicago Cardinals' pro team. He once played with that team. (International)

'Whoopee Squad' Set For New Year's Eve

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—P—Cleveland police have started organizing their "whoopee squad" in preparation for New Year's Eve.

It will include two hit-skip squads, 14 motorcycle men, 10 patrolmen and a radar crew of six. There will be road blocks to obtain drivers closely and tours of drink spots to nab drunks before they can start driving.

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Board and Room

By Gene Ahern



Pair Draws Fines In Police Court

Guy Collier and wife drew fines in excess of \$71 in police court on Wednesday, Collier for being drunk and his wife for being disorderly and resisting arrest.

The Colliers of Cleveland, were arrested at the bus station upon complaint of bus officials.

Collier drew \$10 and costs and his wife \$25 and costs on each of the two charges against her. Unable to pay they were returned to the city jail to await payment.

In 1938 a strange 5-foot-long fish was caught off the tip of South Africa which was believed by ichthyologists to have become extinct 60 million years ago.

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And there has been strong division of opinion here. Last winter provided a good example in the debate on sending troops to Europe. There was wide support for the idea we should withdraw behind the two oceans.

THIS WAS THE ostrich approach to reality, of course, since if we withdraw, Europe's will to resist would be weakened. Europe would have been ducksoup for the Communists if the isolationists had won.

American thinking has been divided on other great issues involved in stopping Communism, and for various reasons, including obvious political ones.

But American reaction to the jailing and mistreatment of Americans behind the Iron Curtain was instant and unanimous: A filthy, corrupt, vicious, unnecessary, inhuman performance.

If this hatred is intensified by new irritations it will have far-reaching effect on decisions made by the government for those decisions, fanned by hate, will be more active, not more passive.

No Christmas Spirit

MANILA, Dec. 27.—P—Eleven persons were killed and eight kidnapped in Christmas Day violence in the Philippines. Seven of the dead were Communist Huks, three were bandits and one a policeman.



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One Reason Why Government Costs So Much

A prominent widely known publication, a few days ago carried the story and comment on an incident which goes to prove one of the reasons why federal government is costing more money than at any time in its history.

The publication, *Financial World*, said: "A government employee recently complained to his boss that he had nothing to do, that he was bored, and so was thinking of quitting. In reply, the boss asked him to be patient; in a little while he'd get an assistant. The point was this: the boss supposed that he was being asked indirectly for a raise, and with equal indirection, he offered one. In government, people get raises in proportion to the number of employees they 'supervise'.

"This may be a clue to why almost everything in government costs so much

Plane Losses Heavy

Officials of the air force can testify that fighting in Korea has developed into more than a police action. To date more than 1,300 United Nations planes, mostly American, have been lost. Of these 583 have been destroyed in combat, a figure which is indicative of the growing air power of the Communists.

Enemy ground fire, directed at planes supporting U. S. ground troops, has been the largest single factor of destruction. The Reds are reported to have command of the air at the present time. Enemy plane losses to date are given as only other."

"Then there's the way budgeting works. It's found that something or other must be done. This is called creating a 'function'. If there's a function, there must also be an organization. One person handling a job is impossible ordinarily, since the man doing it, whatever his talent, would be under-rated. To be appreciated, he must become a boss. That involves getting assistants, stationery, equipment—all the things that go with functions.

"A great deal of time is spent also in creating and then attending meetings of 'inter-departmental committees.' The purpose of these is to build up personal connections. It's the lawyers, mostly, who do this, just as in private life their search for clients brings them into all sorts of organizations where they meet each other."

Britain's Red Peril

In the *Intelligence Digest*, a British publication, it is revealed that action against enemy infiltration of the government has become a matter of almost desperate urgency. At least two more scientists have disappeared with their families. Judging by what has happened in the past these scientists, engaged in secret research of the highest importance, have gone over to Russia.

Under the Labor government known Communists and foreign agents were permitted to get into government departments, foreign office officials deserted to the enemy and many charges of treason remained uninvestigated.

One of Dizziet Years Now Ahead

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK—It is time to look into the old crystal ball for an advance view of 1952.

What lies ahead? Well, button down the storm cellar, boys and girls—it's going to be one of the dizziet years of the century.

It is the kind of a year that Rip Van Winkle would hardly choose to wake up in. You might look for these things:

The hottest national political campaign since the Bull Moose campaign of 1912. More mud will be deposited around the landscape than was left by the Midwest floods of 1951.

A man will patent a new gigantic brain able to outthink Congress. It will be given the task of figuring a way to collect more taxes. However, it will explode—and Congress will meet as usual.

Television will come up with a

bright new star—a lady able to wrestle an alligator and a boa constrictor at one and the same time, while she sings a cigarette commercial.

The biggest food sensation of the year: A non-crunchy breakfast cereal. The children can see and taste it, but the parents don't have to listen to it.

A scandal will break out in world chess circles. Bull fighting will then be revived in Texas to give the nation an honest amateur sport.

A spiritualist will at last succeed in making contact with the ghost of Houdini. His message: "Let me alone; I know when I'm well off."

The traffic problem will be solved by creation of a national network of four-lane, no-way streets. Nobody will get anywhere but they'll do it more safely.

Dr. Kinsey will finally publish his gigantic survey on the sex life of American women. It will turn out to be a four-page pamphlet.

And who's going to be elected president in November? To this query the crystal ball replied:

"I will predict flatly only that his wife will not appear at the inauguration ceremony in a mink coat."

Is Modern Trend of Life Good?

By George Sokolsky

I saw a piece by the distinguished radio reporter of the "New York Herald Tribune" John Crosby, about the late editor of the funny paper, "The New Yorker," Harold Ross. It appears from John Crosby's sophisticated obituary of the aforesaid Harold Ross that this appearance upon the journalistic scene has altered the style of writing for this era of Americans.

Is that good? John Crosby cites as an example:

"I should like to reprint one reporter's lead on one of the greatest of news stories, the end of the fighting in World War I.

They stopped the fighting at 11 o'clock this morning. In a twinkling of the eye four years' killing and massacre stopped, as if God had swept his omnipotent finger across the scene of world carnage and cried, 'enough'!"

Such a sentence would hardly be tolerated today: the reporters have got God out of their pocket and got down to the facts. Not only has the style of journalism

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is been drastically revised but a far healthier point of view toward the responsibilities and the purpose of journalism has been established."

That all depend's upon one's perspective. To many Americans—nay, I should suspect for most Americans—God is a fact. If that is not so, why all this excitement about Christmas?

In the Park Avenue sophistication, the rule has been, believe in nothing, have faith in nothing, ridicule everything that has stood the test of time—that seemed to have been the mark of wisdom and progress. And so many of our smartest young men and women were led from one sophistication to another, or to be more accurate, from one sophistication to another, until they reached the bosom of Stalin. Some found that spot revolting; others were shamed by a diabolic pride to cover their errors; still others by a queer perversion accepted the blandishments of the Marxists and thrived.

To most Americans, these two principles, one relating to the family, the other to the state, are fundamental. Mr. Ross's publication, over the years, tended by cartoon, by jest and doggerel and all the devices of satire and ridicule to lessen acceptance of these concepts. They were assumed to be bunk, a sort of Bourgeois a-tavism, the foil for tricky intellects.

Of this, John Crosby says:

"... The hatred of 'bunk' of which 'The New Yorker' is... shamed practically every American who writes into making—or trying to make—sense, too. It's rather odd that a man whose own rather untidy life was hardly dictated by common sense should have imprinted common sense into the journalism and a large part of the fiction of the nation."

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It is very doubtful that this is even remotely a correct appraisal unless we accept nonsense as sense. Gilbert K. Chesterton once wrote learnedly about the non-sense novel, saying:

Laff-A-Day



"It's probably something I ate."

Diet and Health

Surgeons Offers Hope For Esophagus Cancer

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN

The tube that carries food from the throat to the stomach is called the esophagus. This passage is one of the places frequently attacked by cancer. According to statistics, about five men to every woman in this country have cancer of the esophagus.

Until recently, there was no known way of helping people with cancer of the esophagus, but now there is new hope for such patients as surgeons have developed safe and effective methods of handling this disease. Today, thanks to modern surgery, a person with this type of cancer stands an excellent chance of cure if treated early

present.

The patient is fed a liquid containing barium, a substance that blocks X-rays and makes it possible for the doctor to watch the liquid as it passes from mouth to stomach. If a growth is present in the esophagus, the X-ray picture clearly shows that the barium does not have free passage into the stomach.

Present.

Treated By Surgery

Many cancers of the esophagus are now being treated by surgery,

with very good results. Operations are being performed in which the cancerous portion of the esophagus is removed, and the stomach

brought up into the chest where it is connected directly to the remaining portion of the esophagus.

Some surgeons are also using a new plastic tube to replace the esophagus after it is removed.

Cancer of the esophagus is thus another disease in which many who were formerly doomed are now being cured. However, it is important for a person to consult his physician as soon as he notices any of the symptoms I have described—especially the early ones. Don't wait until pain and discomfort force you to see your doctor.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

I. P. B.: I had rheumatic fever when I was eight years old. I am now 20. I have been running a low-grade fever for the past two weeks. I have occasional chills. What would you advise?

Answer: It might be best for you to have a complete physical examination by your physician. You may have a recurrence of rheumatic fever, or you may have an infection of one of the valves of the heart, which may prove very dangerous if not taken care of immediately.

Anyone with persistent difficulty in swallowing should consult his physician as soon as possible. By the use of X-rays, the doctor can readily detect the cancer if it is



ANNE MARTIN, University of Hawaii freshman, displays one of the sights—a pineapple—you'll see if you happen to get over Honolulu way for the Pineapple Bowl game on New Year's day. San Diego State will provide competition for Anne's alma mater. (International)

14 Christmases Attend Reunion

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27—After 15 years, all 14 Christmases got together for the first time.

Among them was Merry Christmas, who is three years old. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Christmas of Amarillo, Tex. Merry and her parents were among the Christmas family that assembled for Christmas at the home of Merry's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Christmas.

And so, we have to assume that when reporters, as Mr. Crosby says, "got God out of their prose," they got bunk out of their prose, which I am sure he could not have meant at all. Yet, if he did not mean that, what is it that he is trying to say?

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ons to offer the world an "example of tolerance and understanding."

The monarch told his people:

"We are living in an age which often is hard and cruel and if there is anything we can offer the world today, perhaps it is an example of tolerance and understanding."

He also thanked his subjects for the prayers, sympathy and well wishes offered during his recent illness. He said they are "helping my recovery."

DOCTOR CHANGES

CLARKSBURG—Dr. Byron W. Stinson, 30, native of New Holland, will open practice in Clarksburg January 1, succeeding Dr. Frank Taylor who was called to the armed service.

MRS. MARY PRINE DIES

WILMINGTON—Mrs. Mary Burris Prine, 89, died Tuesday. Services Friday at 10 A. M. at Mason.

Fayette County Years Ago

Five Years Ago

Rev. John K. Abernethy delivers Christmas message to members of the Washington C. H. Rotary Club.

Robert Moyer and Mrs. Nell Paul will represent Fayette County at the OEA convention in Columbus.

Ten Years Ago

Coffman Stair Co. gives Christmas bonus checks; asks employees to purchase defense bonds.

Harry D. Kurtz is promoted at Leeser Field; he is given post of public relations officer of the field.

Members of the Elks Lodge make a large number happy with gifts for Christmas. Approximately 1,000 children remembered by locality.

Fifteen Years Ago

Paul Willard Aleshire was killed instantly; Erley Huff injured seriously and Ralph Wood painfully hurt when Huff's car gets out of control at a turn on the Jamestown Road.

Wendell Mitchell, Charles Hyer

Mother and Sons Lost in Lake Erie

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27—A mother and her two small children were reported to have drowned in Lake Erie Wednesday.

They were identified as Mrs. Florence Muil, Joseph 3, and Steve, 8.

From the first reports by neighbors, it was believed Joseph broke through the ice near the shore and his mother plunged into the water in an effort to rescue him. Steve then went out to try and save the two, it was said.

His unknown critic did not appear.

Sir Victor waited 10 minutes and, amid cheers, left fuming.

The 48-year-old mayor blamed the paint-smearing on agitators for Scottish independence who want a home rule parliament like the one which directs domestic affairs in Northern Ireland.

Values are now 20 per cent above the pre-Korean war level.

The department said, however,

that the rate of land price increase had slackened during the four months before November. During this period values increased an average of two per cent compared with four per cent in the corresponding period a year ago.

Grab Bag

The Answer, Quick

1. Who was Croesus?

2. Where did Benedict Arnold commit treason?

3. How many dozen are there in a gross?

4. What college was the alma mater of Henry W. Longfellow?

5. What state does Senator Ernest W. McFarland represent in Congress?

Watch Your Language

CIRCUMVENT—(Cir-cum-VENT)—verb transitive; to surround, as by craft or stratagem, especially to trap; to gain advantage over by stratagem or deception; to delude; to go round.

ORIGIN: Latin—Circumventus, past participle derivative of Circum plus venire, to come.

Your Future

It's a good time for producing news methods or improving old ones that have served you well.

Work out details by yourself and good fortune is likely to follow.

A stalwart character is predicted for a child born today.

How'd You Make Out

1. A fabulously rich king of Lydia in 560 B. C.

2. At West Point, N. Y.

30 Inch Main Is Under Way

Most of It Will Be
Completed Soon

Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation has announced that the new 30-inch main being built from Texas into Pennsylvania, through-out southeastern Ohio, will be completed as far as the Ohio River by Feb. 1.

The 30-inch main, one of the largest ever constructed, crosses the Ohio near Portsmouth, and after passing through several Ohio counties, leaves Ohio near Moundsville, W. Va. It will be 780 miles in length.

The new pipeline will permit deliveries of additional gas needed in the Appalachian area during the current heavy period of consumption.

Completion of the 30 inch main, from the Ohio River to Uniontown, Pa., and construction of additional compressor station facilities east of Uniontown is expected by mid-1952.

All compressor stations construction and river crossings now under way will be finished early in the new year.

A giant natural gas underground storage project undertaken by Texas Eastern and the New York State Natural Gas Corp. will be carried out in Pennsylvania.

An increase of 15 percent in the volume of business done this year, over that of last year, is announced by Texas Eastern.

The company owns the three big pipe lines which cross Fayette County, two of which extend from Texas to the East Coast. These are known as the "big inch" and "little inch" lines.

Theft of Fashions In Paris Is Costly

PARIS, Dec. 27.—It's now a serious offense to steal Paris fashion ideas.

The National Assembly has passed a bill making the copying of the fashions punishable by fines up to 500,000 francs (\$1,400) and a jail term up to two years.



AN EXCITING SCOTLAND YARD mystery-drama is to be shown at the Fayette Theater here Sunday and Monday under the title of "Calling Bulldog Drummond." Four of the principals in the acts are shown in the above scene from the picture—While his henchman covers Walter Pidgeon and Margaret Leighton with a gun, Robert Beatty leers at his captives.

Microfilm Has Role In Crime Detection

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Use of microfilm in crime detection is reported by the Eastman Kodak Co. Microfilm is the photographic process of putting books and all sorts of other records on compact film strips.

The Detroit police picked up a thief breaking into locked autos and stealing whatever he thought he could pawn. The police had six pawn tickets identifying him. In Michigan pawnbrokers are required by law to make two copies of each pawn ticket, one for the city and the other for state police. Each copy contains the thumbprint of the person.

Upwards of a hundred thousand cards are received monthly, too many to store, and the Detroit police suspected this thief had a long record, probably on the destroyed pawn tickets. They asked the state police, because the latter keep all pawn tickets, permanently, on microfilm.

Girls Don't Be Unhappy
Over this Disclosure

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Women will be horrified to hear it, but they carry about twice as much fat as men.

The British Medical Journal says the biggest difference is that women have one and a quarter times as much fat on their legs as men in proportion to the total amount of fat.

The San Francisco earthquake of April 18, 1906, cost 700 lives.

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18 Year Olds Join Co. M

Two 18-year-old youths from the White Oak community—Levi R. Bobo Jr., son of Mrs. and Mrs. Levi R. Bobo Sr., and Donald R. Kelley,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Dane Kelley—are getting a jump on the army.

They have signed up with Company M, Ohio National Guard, and will probably receive from six months to a year's training before being called into the service.

Both young men came into the Company M headquarters in the

army here shortly after they had registered for the draft and signed up for three years.

A former member of Company M, Sgt. Everett Caplinger, 20, has transferred back to Company M from the First Battalion headquarters in Columbus after moving back to this city from Columbus.

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New Drug Is Used

TOKYO, Dec. 27.—A new anti-malaria drug is being administered to all soldiers from Korea. The drug is known as primaquine and

is given aboard troopships to all returning soldiers even though they show no symptoms of malaria.

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Social Happenings

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Club Members Enjoy Belated Christmas Party

The postponed meeting of the annual Christmas party of the Conner Farm Woman's Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the spacious country home of Mrs. Dale Wilson on the Greenfield and Satica Road.

The hostess' home was gay and festive with elaborate Yuletide decorations throughout for the occasion and especially admired was the choir scene on the piano, and the centerpiece on the dining room table which was a popcorn sleigh in which Santa was perched driving his reindeer.

The meeting presided over by Mrs. Sam Marting, retiring president, opened with the singing of the hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful," and she led in the repeating of the club creed, which was followed with a moment of silent prayer in memory of a recently deceased member, Mrs. Clarence Rose.

The reports of standing committees were given and Mrs. Edgar Wilson gave a special report on the Home Demonstration meetings held during the past year and announced that they would be continued on the third Thursday of each month.

Food brought by members will be used to make up holiday baskets for needy families.

Mrs. Lorain Morter, the incoming president, was introduced and in her short talk she asked the cooperation of the members as she takes over her office after the first of the year.

Mrs. Ford Ervin, program leader, introduced Mrs. Martin G. Morris, guest speaker, who gave most interestingly and charmingly the story of "The Little Mixer," by Lillian Nicholson Shearon. The story depicted three children of different religious denominations and of their reactions to Christmas which was greatly appreciated by the members.

A hand-painted Christmas card from the hostess' son, who is stationed in Japan, was viewed and Mrs. Maurice Sollars read the letter which accompanied the card.

The program was concluded and during the social hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Carlton Belt and Mrs. Maurice Sollars.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Marion Wadde on January 1.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Otties Smith, Mrs. Edwin Buck and Mrs. Morris.

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Calendar

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THURSDAY, DEC. 27

Willing To Help Class of the McNair Church meets with Mrs. Ray Wieland. Postponed Christmas party and gift exchange, 7:30 P. M.

FRIDAY, DEC. 28

True Blue Class of Sugar Grove Church meets with Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Frazer for postponed Christmas party and covered dish dinner, 7 P. M.

Bloomingburg Wednesday Club postponed covered dish luncheon and Christmas party at the home of Mrs. W. P. Noble, 1 P. M.

MONDAY, DEC. 31

Madison Home Builders Class will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeBeau for covered dish dinner and New Year's Eve party, 7:30 P. M.

Sorority Fêtes Small Children

Thirty-six children between the ages of three and six were guests of members of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority at a Christmas party given in the Dayton Power and Light Company club room.

Mrs. Billie Wilson was general chairman of the annual event and each member of the sorority assisted in making the event a gratifying success.

Each little girl received a set of dishes and a miniature nurse's kit and the boys were presented toy guns and holster sets.

Games were in charge of Mrs. John Bath and Mrs. Ray Jennings. Stories were told by Mrs. Ray Jennings and each child received an award in the games.

Later Santa Claus, in the person of Mr. Ray Brandenburg, came down the chimney with a pair of gloves, a box of crayons and a large candy cane for each youngster and following the singing of Christmas carols the children were served sandwiches, potato chips, individual candies, chocolate milk and ice cream.

Members of the sorority are indebted to the Med-O-Pure Dairy, Pennington Bakery, Buckeye Potato Chip Company and the Dayton Power and Light Company for their donations which added to the success of the event.

MYF Group Holiday Party

The annual Methodist Youth Fellowship holiday party of the Jeffersonville Methodist Church was held at the church and about thirty members sang carols to shut-ins and ill residents in the community.

Upon their return to the church they were served a chili supper by the mothers of members assisted by Mrs. Forrest Moon and Mrs. O. L. Wiseman, superintendent of the M. Y. F.

The birthday of the president, Joseph Fisher was also celebrated as a surprise and large birthday cakes with the accompanying delicacies were served by the committee assisted by Mrs. Hobart Coyle.

Later carols were sung and devotions were in charge of Rev. Forrest Moon and the vice president presented the president with a Bible from the MYF members.

Taking the place of the usual gift exchange food and clothing were brought for the Trimble family who lost their possessions in a fire recently.

A New Year's watch night service has been planned and older folks will be included for the closing service at 11 P. M. which will be preceded by recreation and refreshments from 9 to 11 P. M. in the Youth Center at the church.

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WSCS Meeting Is Postponed

The regular meeting of the Millidgeville WSCS, scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Patch Friday, Dec. 28, has been postponed and will be combined with the January meeting with the date to be announced later.

India Cotton Imports From Japan Are Cut

NEW DELHI, India (P) — Imports of Japanese cotton textiles by India suffered an almost total eclipse during the first five months of the current fiscal year.

During the current five-month period India imported only 40,000 pounds of cotton twist and yarn, as compared with 5,340,000 pounds plus 20 million yards of cotton piece-goods in 1949.

Official sources explained that India had stopped most cotton imports in 1950 and 1951. Also Japan, because of the war in neighboring Korea, did not have much to spare for export.



Tenki Angmu Tenduf La

FIRST WOMAN ever to come to the United States from Tibet, Miss Tenki Angmu Tenduf La is interviewed on her arrival in New York. She has been awarded a fellowship by the American Bureau for Medical Aid to China. The Tibetan woman will enter Barnard College in February, 1952. (International)

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coil, Sr., son Bobbie, of this city, Mrs. Edwin Clemens and Mrs. Helen Engles of Mt. Sterling left Wednesday to spend the coming three weeks vacationing in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander and their niece, Grace Ann Maury of Jeffersonville, have as their Christmas holiday guest, Mrs. Kathleen Maury of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Maury came Wednesday and will remain over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patton have returned from Birmingham, Michigan, where they spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Geiger, sons Greg and Gordon.

Seaman and Mrs. Gene Sagar left Thursday for San Diego, California, where Seaman Sagar is stationed at the naval base, after a Christmas visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Sagar and Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Harper.

Mr. Jimmie Fox, student at Purdue University, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox.

Pfc. Bill Fogle left Wednesday evening to return to Camp Hanford, Washington, after spending a Christmas furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fogle.

Mrs. Charles Griffith returned Wednesday evening from Columbus, after a visit over Christmas at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Stewart.

After a Christmas visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sheidler and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sheidler and son, Ricky, have returned to their home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Williams' daughter Sarah Margaret and Mrs. Arthur G. Burgett of Bedford are

arrived Wednesday evening and are guests at the Washington Hotel while visiting briefly with friends here before leaving Thursday afternoon for Knightstown to be guests of Mr. Williams' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moyer have returned to their home in Cincinnati, after a Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Moyer. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Moyer and daughter, Dianna of Bucyrus, who were also guests of the Moyers and Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cramton have returned to their home.

Mrs. Ada V. Lanum returned Wednesday evening from Columbus, where she was the guest over Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Post and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Kennedy.

Miss Martha Burnett of this city, and Miss Georgiana Griffith of Columbus, left Saturday by plane for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they are the guests of friends for a week.

Pfc. Jon W. Ervin, who is stationed at Sheppard Field, Texas, is spending a Christmas furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ervin of near Jeffersonville.

Instead of row cultivation of cotton the Afghan planters broadcast their seed, then waited patiently for nature to produce a crop.

The Man With a Hoe

Dickinson took one look at these methods, had a blacksmith build an American-style hoe by hand, then demonstrated its use in a field of growing cotton.

The Afghan planters, no laggards if their efforts are likely to be repaid, caught on fast. A nearby sugar factory turned out the first hundred hand-wrought hoes, and they were put to use.

"Orders come from everywhere, for the Herman H. Heiser saddlery in Denver.

"But no matter how odd their gun, chances are we have a model somewhere in a pile of over 600."

A month ago they had a telephoned order from the Egyptian embassy in Washington for a shoulder holster for Egypt's King Farouk. They built the holster on a model of a .38 caliber official police pistol, and two days later it was in Washington for shipment to the king.

CAST MODELS are on hand for an ancient single action cowboy style 44, in fashion 60 years ago. Or for the Luger, Mausers, Berettas and other foreign models brought home by GI's.

If your gun should be an oddity which is not found in Heiser's pile of casts, you give them a complete description and they model it in wood, building the holster on their model.

The superintendent of the holster department, Niels A. Hansen, says he has enough casts to equip 15 holster makers with full sets of most asked for models, with a large pile of "odd sizes" left over.

Hansen's department turns out from 25,000 to 30,000 holsters each year. Hip holsters are the most popular, but there is a large business in the inconspicuous shoulder model, too.

Hansen, who is most often found pacing through his workshops with a fluttering bundle of back orders in his hand, says he is currently running 3,500 jobs behind schedule.

He sheathes through the orders to give a notion of the widespread demand for pistol holsters. One request is from the Panama Canal Zone. Three quick-draw FBI models are going to a ranch in Peru. A large order is standing from a shop in trouble-ridden Indonesia.

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Cotton Jackpot

Hit by Afghans

Arkansas Planter Shows Natives How

By HAROLD K. MILKS

KABUL, Afghanistan—A sandy-haired Arkansas planter has introduced common garden hoes into Afghanistan and they are paying off with a fivefold cotton crop in the rich valleys bordering Soviet Russia's militarized frontiers.

William W. Dickinson, who learned his farming on a 3,600-acre family plantation near Little Rock, Ark., is today the hero of Afghan cotton growers, in part because he taught them what a wonderful instrument the hoe is, if enough back muscle goes into its use.

Here as an advisor on cotton production under the United Nations Food and Agriculture technical assistance program, Dickinson found many faults with Afghan methods of farming, many of them centuries old.

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Dickinson took one look at these methods, if their efforts are likely to be repaid, caught on fast. A nearby sugar factory turned out the first hundred hand-wrought hoes, and they were put to use.

Dickinson added row cultivation, suggested using cottonseed cakes for fertilizer. The result, after plentiful application of the hoes, was a crop five times greater than before, without fertilization. With fertilizer fields produced seven to eight times their former yields, grew 500 to 700 pounds of good cotton per acre against a pre-Dickinson average of 100 pounds.

Now Manufacturing Hoes

The 1951 crop yield in Afghanistan's cotton fields reached a record total of 12,000 long tons, four-fifths of it snatched up by Russian buyers from across the Oxus River frontiers. The remainder, aside from a small domestic consumption, went to India, Japan and the United Kingdom.

The results of the first year under Dickinson's tutelage were sufficiently startling to arouse the Afghan government's interest in cotton growing.

Thirty thousand factory-produced hoes were ordered from Afghanistan's Russian neighbors to the north—to be paid for in cotton. An experimental farm complete with 45 new tractors—and plenty of old-fashioned hoes—has been planned for 1952.

Uniform Changed But Not the Place

GOEPPINGEN, Germany (P) — In World War II Rudolf J. Kerl was a radar specialist in the German airforce. He emigrated to the United States in October, 1949. A year later he was drafted into the U. S. Army.

Now he is back in Germany as a sergeant in the 28th Infantry Division and stationed here, less than 100 miles from his former home. His job in the American Army is a lot better than in the German.

Kerl lived in Philadelphia, during his year in the U. S., and worked at a factory in Hatboro, Pa., making meters and gauges.

How can German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer get his daily copy of Stars and Stripes—legally?

A high German official has been

sending out messenger daily to buy a bootleg copy. The catch is that a German cannot legally buy "Strikes". It sells only for Americans—money—the script issued to troops—and Germans are forbidden by army regulations from possessing script.

Some one suggested that the

army send Adenauer a complimentary copy each morning. But the army's legal brains said "regulations" forbids giving away "Strikes".

State Department officials are now poring through regulations to find if the department can foot the bill for Adenauer's "Strikes".

into the river Kajang. One, a girl, survived by clinging to shrubbery.

Panama Canal Question Mark

Turmoil at Suez Causes Anxiety

By JOHN F. SEMBOWER
(Central Press Association)
WASHINGTON — Will Uncle Sam sooner or later run into the same trouble at the Panama canal that England faces at Suez? That is a prime worry here in high diplomatic circles. It was heightened by Indian Prime Minister Nehru's suggestion that both Suez and Panama be lumped together under international control.

The fact is that the two canals have a lot in common, including the three colorful historical figures who featured the dramas of each—Ferdinand De Lesseps, the visionary French engineer; Benjamin Disraeli, Britain's willful Victorian prime minister, and rip-roarin' President Theodore Roosevelt.

Now it comes to light that in 1947, the United States weathered a crisis with Panama over continued occupation of the World War II defense bases which threatened to cause as much embarrassment as Egypt's demand that England vacate Suez and the Sudan.

JUST AS the British at Suez are caught in the jaws of Near Eastern nationalism, the United States encounters united opposition from Latin-American countries "south of the border" whenever it steps on Panama's toes.

Yet, thanks to the stubbornness of Teddy Roosevelt, the United States seems in a much stronger position in Panama than the British at Suez. After all, England is just a major stockholder in French corporation operating Suez; the United States owns the Panama Canal.

The stories of Suez and Panama have spanned the centuries. The first canals linking the Mediterranean and Red seas was started in the days of the ancient Pharaohs, and even the Romans dug a ditch.

Just as soon as explorers discovered that North and South America were linked together and constitutes a great intercontinental barrier between Europe and Asia via the western route, agitation started for a canal piercing that obstacle.

AS EARLY as 1850, the United States and England considered a joint effort to build a canal, but it was the French engineer De Lesseps who developed a mania to make the Suez and Panama canals realities. He formed the French companies which built Suez and started on the Panama canal.

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To this day, it is a hot controversy among historians whether or not the United States helped that revolt. Diplomats in the Roosevelt Root, hotly protested that the United States merely failed to put down the revolt for Colombia, but Roosevelt himself roared, "I took the Canal Zone, and let Congress debate."

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HOWEVER, the United States ownership of the canal and its 10-mile-wide Zone has never been directly challenged. England in Suez was only a holder of 44 percent of the stock in the French-dominated War I and in 1936, calling for Suez corporation, and it relies on Egyptian treaties, concluded after World War II, now say they do not want.

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A ROBUST THRILL-PACKED PICTURE, "Adventures of Captain Fabian," has been booked for Sunday and Monday at the State Theater. In the above scene from the film, Errol Flynn is shown in typical action. Also in the starring roles are Micheline Presle and Vincent Price.

Check on Health May Be in Spit

Blood Properties Found in Saliva

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Instead of pricking your finger to get a sample of blood the doctor may soon be saying:

"Spit in this spoon, please."

He will be using the saliva for some tests now made only on blood. These tests were explained to the American Association for the Advancement of Science during its 118th annual meeting here.

The saliva report was made by Dr. Frances Krasnow of the Guggenheim Dental Clinic, New York City. She and associates discovered that saliva contains cholesterol in the same amounts that the chemical appears in your blood.

Cholesterol is a substance common in food, especially in eggs, and it is part of your body's chemical

pines in 1968. So in spite of all Disraeli's shrewdness, England is viewed as being much less secure than the United States in Panama, because of Teddy Roosevelt's forthright action to gain control of the fruits of De Lesseps's vision and genius in starting the second "big ditch."

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If War Breaks Out Next Year It Will be Bitter, Red Says

HAMBURG, Germany, Dec. 27.—(AP)—The stocky man with shrewd eyes was a major in the Soviet army until two years ago.

At Potsdam, in the occupation era, he served on the staff of Russia's greatest military governors: Zhukov, Sokolovsky and Chuikov.

He recalls vividly the secret briefing which general Vasily Chuikov, hero of Stalingrad, delivered at his headquarters in 1949 after the end of the Berlin blockade.

"Our present forces in Germany are strong enough to sweep to the English Channel, but we do not have the order," the general said.

The former major, V. M. Denikov, shrugs at the memory:

"I believe 1952 will be the most dangerous year of all," he says. "The tension is near the breaking point."

"But if war comes, it will be because of blunders. Soviet policy is not to launch a sudden attack—but to wait, to grow stronger, to let the

West plunge into an economic catastrophe."

"CHUIKOV DID not receive the order to attack in 1949. I am convinced he will not receive it in 1952. But war may come. The tension is big."

Denikov, in the eyes of the Soviet government, is a deserter and traitor. In West Germany, he is tolerated as one of thousands of unwanted political refugees.

But it wasn't politics that drove him to forsake career and country. It was something more deeply human.

He did it for a German woman. They fell in love during the fiery conquest of Germany and

were married secretly afterward in defiance of military command.

He saved her, their young daughter, and his German mother-in-law when he deserted. He smuggled them into the British sector of Berlin. Together, they were flown out to West Germany.

He appraises his own future coldly:

"As long as there is a Soviet government, they will shoot me if they catch me. But I am not one of those who fool themselves that the government will fall in peace-time by a palace revolution or otherwise."

er internal revolt. It is too strong.

"THE PEOPLE do not know how bad the government is. It is all they know."

"But the West should not fool itself that the people will not fight. One shot and the people will unite behind the government as they did in 1941. They will be led to believe they are defending their fatherland against aggression."

"The Soviet government is waiting for the west to spend itself into exhaustion. You tell me: Will the West find a way out of the dilemma of war or economic collapse?"

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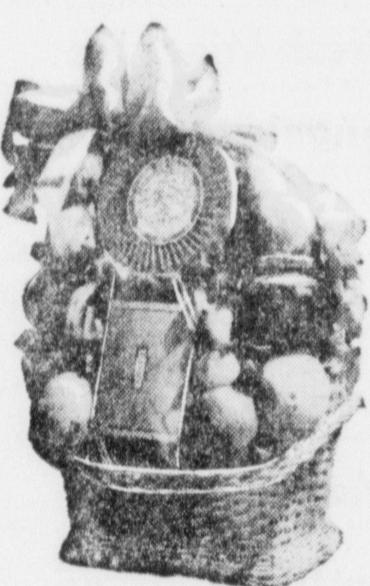
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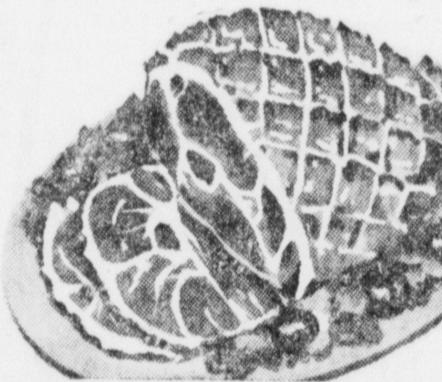
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Oil Down There But Hard to Get

Big Pools Located
Far Below Surface

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Oil men know exactly where billions and billions of barrels of oil lie under the United States that they haven't yet been able to coax to the surface.

Some of them think they're going to be able to find the way—and soon. Defense needs of the nation for oil reserves that can be used spur the oil engineers and chemists on.

Other billions of barrels that oilmen once gave up as lost forever they have now learned how to bring forth. By injecting salt water or natural gas deep into the earth they have bought back to life old oil fields they once thought milked dry. They expect this way to recover an estimated 75 billion barrels.

But that still leaves oil they know is there but can't pull out of the pores of the rock and sand where nature produced it.

PERHAPS 150 billion or 200 billion barrels are in known oil fields but beyond the reach of current methods of recovery. This oil is a prize worth working for—especially in the nation's defense.

Now they are turning to chemistry to get at it. They are sticking hypodermic needles deep into the earth to eject the oil from the rocks. Some are using detergents to flush oil loose from the porous rocks in which it hides.

Some use carbon dioxide in the water with which they flood old oil fields to push the oil toward the bottom of wells that are going dry.

Fatty acids and ammonia salts are also said to induce the rocks to cast off the oil that clings to them.

Other chemists are experimenting with bacteria to stimulate the underground flow of oil from the oil-bearing sands to the bottom of oil wells. Some are testing out the effects of heat on the reluctant oil stores.

Much of this oil was once thought lost because in the early days of the oil industry men knew only one way of getting oil—pumping out the petroleum which flowed by natural means to the bottom of the well. The natural means was pressure. The fruitful sands bore not only oil but gas and water.

Pressure of the gas and water forced the heavy, slow-flowing oil from the porous rock toward the point of relief—the well casing where the pressure could escape from the earth.

Hilt To Attend Council Meeting

W. J. Hilt, county superintendent of schools, has made plans to attend the organizational meeting of the Educational Council at 8 P. M. Thursday, Jan. 10.

The meeting will be held at the Ohio Education Association headquarters in Columbus. Some of the members will remain overnight in the Deshler-Wallack Hotel.

The following members of the council were elected at the closing session of the General Assembly: Harry L. Alexander, New Bloomington; Hazel Baver, Lima; Karl R. Bodenbender, Grouse; Merrill F. Cooley, Warren; Christ F. Geckeler, Hamilton; R. L. Morton, Athens; Ruth Roediger, Cleveland.

W. M. Schaal, Cleveland; S. C. Smith, Elyria, and William D. Storer, Oxford.

Churchill To Speak Before U. S. Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—British Prime Minister Winston Churchill will address a joint session of Congress when he visits Washington next month.

Churchill is due shortly after New Year's to confer with President Truman. They have met three times before—in 1945 at Potsdam, in 1946 in this country when Churchill made his Fulton, Mo., speech, and last year in Washington.

Vice President Barkley said Churchill will talk to Congress "about Jan. 17."

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THIS HOMELESS cat knew just where to find a warm spot during Philadelphia's cold snap when it meowed its way into home of Mrs. Ruth Craig—right in the lap of Betty, Mrs. Craig's dog. (International)

Food Price Cuts To Be Slight

Turkey and Meat Costs Change Little

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Food shoppers planning menus for the rest of the holidays are likely to find price reductions this week largely restricted to hams—a popular New Year's item—and party snack foods.

Both smoked and fresh hams were reduced about three to four cents a pound to top the advertised special list of many large chains and independent markets.

Geese also were being featured in some places, and at prices as much as six cents below the Thanksgiving Day levels.

Turkeys generally were being held at prices set just before Christmas. Most other meats along with eggs, butter and the bulk of canned foods were unchanged.

Party snacks and holiday specialties were being heavily promoted, most at slightly lower prices to attract the budget-conscious.

On the fresh produce counters, snap beans, carrots, mushrooms and eggplant were lower-priced this week, but cabbage, good cauliflower and onions edged a little higher.

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Committee to Meet With Publishers

Members of the primary numbers committee will meet at 7:30 P. M. Monday, Jan. 7, to appraise and evaluate instructional materials in numbers, including workbooks in arithmetic for use in the public schools, according to County Supt. W. J. Hilt.

Hilt said the committee will "also reach a decision and recommend materials to the county board of education for a uniform adoption."

Members of the committee include the following teachers: Mrs. Mary K. Chapman, Bloomingburg; Mrs. Helen S. Emery, Jeffersonville; Mrs. Lillian Sommers, Madison Mills; Mrs. Edith Parsley, Good Hope, and Mrs. Helen Pope, Marion school.

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Dinner-donator Dies in Hospital

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—A big-hearted Greek restaurant operator, who gave away thousands of free Thanksgiving dinners, died Sunday night in Lutheran hospital.

He was George S. Dallas, 66, who eventually went broke, but he never allowed a penniless unfortunate to go hungry.

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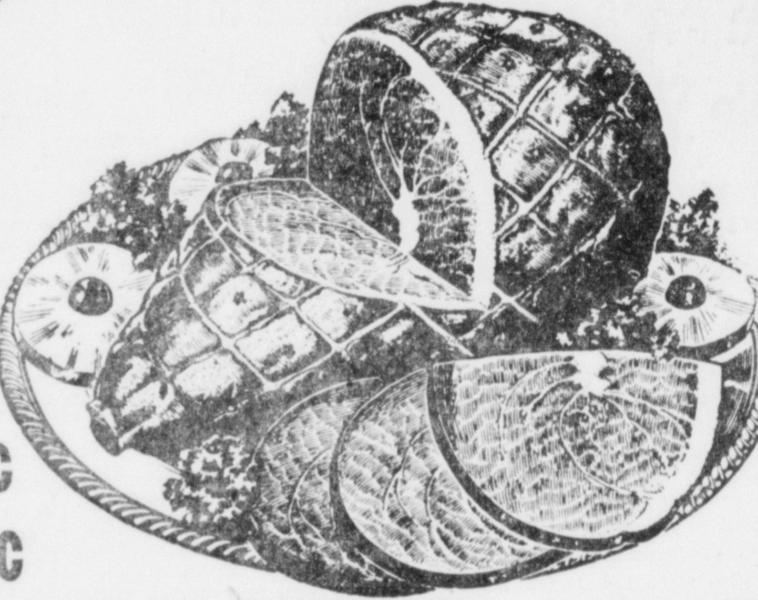
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This is a must for that New Year's
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A 5 to 8 Lb. Piece Cut
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FRUIT TOPPED

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DEVEINED
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Sugar Is Named Fighter of Year

Joe Louis No. 5 Among Heavyweights

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—P—Midweight Champion Ray Robinson and light heavyweight contender Harry (Kid) Matthews share the honors in Ring Magazine's awards for the year.

Editor Nat Fleischer named Robinson "Fighter of the Year," and selected Matthews as the best all-around fighter of the year.

Awards and Ring's annual ratings were announced in a copy-righted article in the February issue of the boxing monthly.

It was the second time in three years Sugar Ray has been chosen for fighter of the year laurels.

Fleischer awards it to the boxer who combines boxing proficiency with sportsmanship and contributes to the uplift of the sport.

In selecting Robinson, Fleischer wrote:

"HIS FIGHTING record, his high standing with the public as an honored citizen, his influence on the youth, his position as a sportsman, his contributions to the public welfare and his contribution to the skill and science of the sport—all were to be considered."

Matthews was selected by Fleischer for "his cleverness, hitting power, ring generalship and triumphs over all opponents regardless of weight."

Fleischer backed up his choice of Matthews by designating him as the No. 1 challenger for light heavyweight Joe Maxim.

Archie Moore, for years the No. 1 contender, was moved back to the No. 2 spot just ahead of Harold Johnson.

Joe Louis was placed in a strange spot—No. 5 in the ranks of heavyweight contenders. Louis has never been lower than the top or No. 1 contender since he won the title. Ezzard Charles, the ex-champion, was ranked as the No. 1 contender followed by Rocky Marciano, KO conqueror of Louis.

Lions Club League

WCH Liaws	1st	2nd	3rd	T
McCoy	181	170	163	514
BLIND	138	130	138	414
Reinke	138	135	138	403
Reitting	131	130	138	467
Breit	152	182	157	491
TOTALS	780	803	733	2316
Handicap	81	81	81	243
Total Inc. H. C.	861	864	814	2559

WCH Twisters	1st	2nd	3rd	T
Lentz	158	165	163	486
Merleweather	119	109	122	340
Griffiths	142	143	178	460
Sanderson	139	142	163	452
Wright	177	149	183	509
TOTALS	728	698	831	2257
Handicap	86	86	86	258
Total Inc. H. C.	814	784	917	2515

Jmstwn Tamers	1st	2nd	3rd	T
Hyer	144	118	153	413
Gerard	89	109	124	322
Aebersold	139	142	144	429
Clark	165	162	163	523
Moorman	164	191	168	521
TOTALS	703	775	776	2254
Handicap	90	90	90	270
Total Inc. H. C.	798	863	866	2526

B'Burg Claws	1st	2nd	3rd	T
Dumford	135	168	166	471
Perrill	108	146	232	486
Noble	132	139	129	453
Clark	134	153	175	462
Moorman	164	191	168	521
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Jmstwn Cubs	1st	2nd	3rd	T
Reese	292	128	108	438
Gibbs	128	128	127	324
Hart	117	118	122	340
Hoffner	130	113	122	363
Powers	138	205	190	530
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Perry	162	136	165	463
Hawk	136	139	145	420
Chase	136	139	145	420
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Hynes	150	150	146	436
Mar	129	164	134	430
Barger	138	200	119	457
Morehouse	180	151	152	453
McLean	148	216	161	521
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Tharp	145	137	137	419
Schell	151	135	115	401
BLIND	154	154	208	416
Gibbs	128	128	128	384
TOTALS	723	773	668	2164
Handicap	87	87	87	261
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PERFECT NONCHALANCE is displayed by both Simba and Julie Rand as she perches on his back. It's part of the act that the 24-year-old girl stages every day at the Crandon Park zoo in Miami, Fla., of which she is director. (International)



A COUPLE OF PROUD YOUNGSTERS—John Gary Meyer, 6, Astoria, Ore., and Marilyn Truchom, 11, Cleveland, Ohio—are pictured after they had been chosen "All-American Boy" and "Little Miss America" in Hollywood. They won the titles in the 15th annual nationwide contest sponsored by the Screen Children's Guild and will receive film parts to launch them in careers in the entertainment field. (International)



IF THE DEATH IN CLEVELAND of Elma Wisschmeir marked the 1,000,000th traffic fatality in the nation, Harry Schumacher may be the first victim in the second million. A priest gives him the last rites in the photo above after he had been struck by a truck in Queens, N. Y. He died 25 minutes after the Cleveland woman succumbed in a hospital. (International)

He's 'Best Boss'

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27—P—Employees of the Scio Pottery Co. refer to Owner Lou Reese as the world's best boss and with good reason. This year he gave his 1,050 workers \$250,000 in Christmas bonuses.

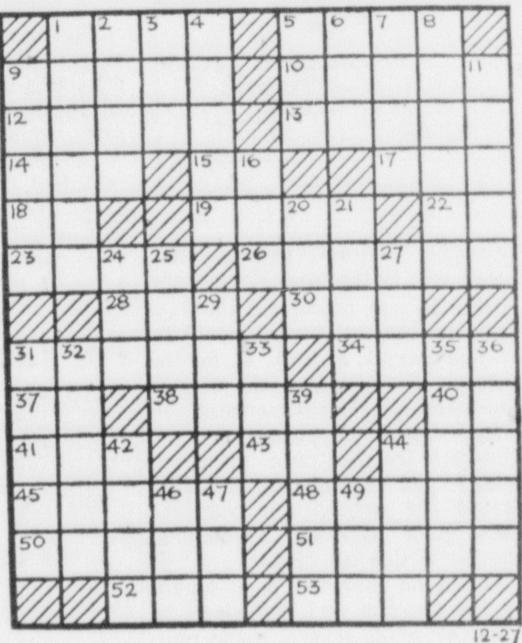


MARIE WILSON dons traditional New Year's eve ornaments in happy anticipation of 1952's big event in her career: the radio's "My Friend Irma," in which she stars, makes its television debut Jan. 8. (International)

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Yield
5. Lose strength
9. Part of jacket front
10. Coins (Ind.)
12. Sphere of action
13. Desert plants
14. Shoshonean Indian
15. Negative word
17. Luzon native
18. From (prefix)
19. Gaming cubes
22. Type measure
23. Slide
26. Lets down
28. Cut grass
30. Plead
31. High, silk hat (slang)
34. Steals
37. Gold (Her.)
38. Prepare for publication
40. Sun god
41. Ancient
43. Greek letter
44. Winnow
45. Slack
48. Cross-barred cloth
50. Spread out
51. Symbols
52. Female sheep
53. Affirmative reply

DOWN
1. Industrial combination
2. Fencing sword
3. Lair
4. South African antelope
5. Decorated letter
6. Miscellaneous
7. Peruvian Indian
8. Being more recent
9. Praises
11. Asiatic kingdom (poss.)
12. Lubricate
16. Male swan
21. Pitcher person
25. Bishop
27. Self
29. Marry
31. Implements
32. A ship's lowest deck
33. Tear
35. Intellect
36. Stretches of beach
39. Slightly intoxicated
42. Give out, as relief
44. Cigarettes (slang)
46. Cutting tool
47. Organ of sight
49. Untruth



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A X R
is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

L A G I I F I A D S I J B S D U L E M I ' M V
E M D S L D A R G G M F E P M P M C Z R D S
D M L V C - G I W B A M G G I Z.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: AND THEREFORE LITTLE SHALL I GRACE MY CAUSE, IN SPEAKING FOR MYSELF—SHAKESPEARE.

New York Growing

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—P—The city department of planning has predicted that New York City's population will be 8,280,000 in 1960 and 8,570,000 by 1970. The 1950 census count was 7,890,000 persons.

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WHIC 650 K

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Echo Valley
Buddy Cott
World Today
3 Star Ranch
Sports Digest
Dinner Winner

6:15
Serenade
All In Fun
Stork Club
Star Ranch
Sports Reporter
Sports

6:30
Captain Video
By the Clock
Capt. Video
News
Transit Time
Beulah
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6:45
Film Short
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Many Tenants In This County

Average American Earns \$3,000 Yearly

Many people often wonder how the average family in Fayette County measures in comparison to the statistics recently presented on the average American by the Census Bureau.

The general impression gained by talking with business people in Washington C. H. and farmers in various parts of this county is that the average family here is about the same as in other rural counties in this section of Ohio.

One county official here asserts that the only difference lies in the fact that there are more tenant farmers in Fayette County than in the average Ohio rural county. This is said to be true particularly in this central Ohio group of counties. It is also reported that there probably are more imported tenants working as hired help on farms in this county than in the most counties, although some southern Ohio counties are reported to have much such help brought in from Kentucky.

STATISTICS FOR 1951 are not yet assembled and made public, but in 1950, according to the county agricultural agent's records, there were 1,362 farms of 10 acres or more, in Fayette County, of which 566 were operated by tenants.

The Fayette County Production and Marketing Association records, which deal with farms or agricultural plots of land of three acres or more, showed a total of 1,700 farms in this county, of which approximately 50 percent were operated by tenants.

As to the general situation over this nation the U. S. Census Bureau reveals the average American is 30 years old, with a wife and two children, a one-family house, an automobile, a mechanical refrigerator, a radio and a telephone. He has had at least a year in high school and is a semi-skilled factory worker with an annual income of around \$3,000. He is struggling to pay off a mortgage.

One of the questions raised by the figures is why a television set is not listed among the contents of the average man's home. The probable explanation is that there were only 5,000,000 television sets in use in April, 1950, when the census was taken. Now there are 25,000,000.

Applied to individuals, mass statistics must always be interpreted with caution. There are many Americans who have not two, but four or five children—or none; many who own no home or several, who are older or younger than 30 and who earn more or less than \$3,000. But the mythical average produces a picture of well-being and physical comfort which is more nearly accurate than it would have been a half-century ago.

Release of Fliers

(Continued from Page One) right to move about the Soviet zone without prior Soviet authorization. They planned to go to the border if the Russians delayed authorization for the Nickelsdorf group to operate.

The four fliers are Capt. Dave H. Henderson of Shawnee, Okla., Capt. John Swift of Glens Falls, N. Y., T-Sgt. Jess A. Duff of Spokane, Wash., and Sgt. James A. Elam of Kingsland, Ark.

DANGERS FORESEEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Re-sponsible officials have conceded there are dangers for the future in the U. S. decision to pay the \$120,000 in fines levied by Communist Hungary against four American airmen.

At the same time these authorities asserted there were compelling reasons for the decision and that in terms of propaganda the result will not necessarily be entirely adverse to the United States.

All this is based on the assumption that Hungary will accept the American offer and will release the fliers. There was some doubt

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County Courts

NO INHERITANCE TAX

The estates of Sherman Spears and Peter Smeltzer have been found to be not subject to inheritance tax.

TAX DETERMINED

Inheritance tax in the following estates has been determined as shown below:

Oma Hill estate, \$92.08; Drusilla E. Waln estate, \$802.06; Bertha M. Smith estate, \$126.02; Daisy Cruse estate, \$377.00.

NO MARRIAGE LICENSES

No marriage licenses have been issued in the probate court here since December 18, when the last application was filed.

During the same period last year four licenses were issued.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Frank M. Paul, et al., to Frank W. Barker, lot 42, East End Improvement Co. addition to Washington C. H.

Homer Smith by certificate to Cecil Smith, et al., 111.28 acres on New Martinsburg and Buena Vista Road.

Oma Hill, deceased, by certificate, to Laura Hill, 216.93 acres, Paint Township.

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Hungary has held the U. S. airmen since Nov. 19 as violators of her border. A Communist court decreed they each would have to spend three months in jail if the fines were not paid. The Hungarian action was widely denounced here as international blackmail and the fines were termed a ransom.

On the negative side of the U. S. decision to pay the fines these dangers of disadvantages were noted:

The Communist leadership can and undoubtedly will exploit the U. S. decision in Europe and elsewhere as an evidence of American weakness, and also as evidence of that the airmen were guilty of violating the borders of Hungary to discharge spies.

2. Aside from propagandizing, the Kremlin may be led to think there is a lack of determination in Washington in handling such matters and may be encouraged to run greater risks in the future in dealing with the U. S. and its citizens.

3. The Hungarian incident may lead to a series of similar irritating actions involving greater sums of money and more people—either members of the armed forces, diplomats or private citizens.

This danger is seen as most likely to materialize if the Communists decide they have won up to a way of getting money out of the U. S.

On the positive side of the decision to pay the \$30,000 fine assessed against each of the four, officials said there were these considerations:

1. Payment appeared to be the only way open to assure the prompt release and therefore the safety of the airmen.

2. The decision can be used by the U. S. and its friends in Europe as proof of American patience and restraint in dealing with Communist provocation.

3. The decision shows that the U. S. stands behind members of the armed forces in such a situation as that created by Hungary.

Authorities reported that the decision to pay the fines was reached in consultation among the State Department, Defense Department and White House. They said defense officials favored payment, apparently feeling that the U. S. should act promptly to get uniform personnel released at the earliest possible moment.

The decision to pay the fines drew varied comments and warnings from the nation's newspapers. Words like "blackmail" and "ransom" and "kidnappers" were sprinkled through editorials denouncing the Hungarian gov-

The Old Home Town

By Stanley



Offer To Rent Home Is Denied

Next spring the John Trimble family will once again be hunting for a home.

In a story appearing in Monday's Record-Herald about the family moving into their new home on the Glenn McCoy farm, after they were burned out of their house near Bloomingburg a couple of weeks ago, it was stated that the family was to have another larger place to live in the spring.

The new house was reported to be in the Roger Park area—land owned by Va'l R. McCoy.

McCoy has since denied he discussed the renting of any of his property with Trimble.

Ellsworth Vannorsdall, one of the chairmen who was appointed by neighbors to coordinate the aid given to the Trimble family, said that his information on the offer to rent the home in the Roger Park area came from M. G. Morris.

The present home were the Trimble's are living will have to be rented to a farmhand in the spring, according to Glenn McCoy.

Municipal Court

(Continued from Page One) the municipal court at \$2,400 per year, with the city paying 3.5 of the amount. That figures the city's share at \$1,275 a year.

The clerk will also devote part time to answering police headquarters calls.

The salary of the justice of the city police court—the court that will go out of existence Jan. 1 when the municipal court is established—has been \$1,200 a year and that of the clerk \$1,920.

Under the statute, the city council fixes the salaries for the municipal court although the rest of the county, with the exception of Jefferson Township, contribute two-fifths of the money, the city solicitor said.

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